

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Examinations – Pass in Accounts Test for Executive Officers – Not equivalent to pass in Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers Part-I and II – Clarification – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SERVICES-C) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 411 .

Dated:18-07-2011.

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.1799, GA (Ser.A) Department, dt.7-10-1965.
2. From the Director of Settlement Survey & Land Records, Hyderabad, Lr.No.J1/4815/2002, dt.21-8-2002.
3. From the Secretary(I/c), APPSC, Letter No.820/RR/2011, dt.24-6-2011.

ORDER:

In the G.O.1st read above, the Government have issued orders that Government Servants who have passed Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers Part-I and II shall be exempted from passing Accounts Test for Executive Officers, where such Tests are prescribed in the Special Rules concerned.

2. It is noticed that certain Government Servants who have passed Accounts Test for Executive Officers have approached the Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal, claiming that they have passed Accounts Test for Executive Officers and that they need not pass Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers Part-I and II, where such tests are prescribed in the Special Rules concerned. The Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal in OA No.7227/2002, dt.13.11.2006 held that the Full Bench in OA No.80/2001 held that a pass in Executive Officers Test cannot be considered as equivalent to a pass in the tests for Subordinate Officers for the purpose of promotion to the posts within the Subordinate Service.

3. The Government have examined the directions of the Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal and observe that according to Andhra Pradesh Departmental Test Rules, 1965, the following syllabus is prescribed for the Accounts Test for Executive Officers and Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers Part-I and II:-

THE ACCOUNTS TEST FOR EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

- (1) The Andhra Pradesh Financial Code-Chapters I –VIII and XII-XIV.
- (2) The Andhra Pradesh Treasury Code-Part-I & Part-II (Chapters III, V and VII) and Part-III (Chapter-IV).
- (3) The Andhra Pradesh Budget Manual-Chapter I-V, VII and VIII.
- (4) An Introduction to Indian Government Accounts and Audit Chapter-I, Part B of Chapter 2, Chapter 10, 13, 15, 16, 17, 24, 25, 27 and 28.
- (5) The Constitution of India, 1950 - Articles 148 to 151, 202 to 207, 264 to 293 and 308 to 314.
- (6) The Andhra Pradesh Pension Code.

THE ACCOUNTS TEST FOR SUBORDINATE OFFICERS PART-I

- (1) The Andhra Pradesh Financial Code, Volume-I.
- (2) The Andhra Pradesh Financial Code, Volume-II.
- (3) The Andhra Pradesh Treasury Code, Volume-I Part-I, Part-II. (Chapters II, V and VII) and Part III (Chapter IV).
- (4) The Andhra Pradesh Treasury Code, Volume- II (omitting Appendices 1 to 7, 10, 11, 14, 15 and 18-25)
- (5) The Andhra Pradesh Accounts Code Volume-I(Chapter 3-6 and Appendix 3).
- (6) The Andhra Pradesh Budget Manual-Chapters I-IV, VII and VIII.
- (7) The Fundamental Rules and the Subsidiary Rules framed there under by the Andhra Pradesh Government including the Andhra Pradesh Leave Rules, 1933.
- (8) The Andhra Pradesh Manual of Special Pay and Allowances Part-I (omitting Appendix) and Part II.
- (9) The Andhra Pradesh Pension Code.

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THE ACCOUNTS TEST FOR SUBORDINATE OFFICERS PART II

- (1) The Andhra Pradesh Treasury Code, Volume I Part II (Chapters I, II, IV, VI, VIII, IX and X) and Part III (Chapters I-III).
- (2) The Andhra Pradesh Treasury Code, Volume II (omitting Appendices 1-9, 12, 13, 16 and 17).
- (3) The Andhra Pradesh Accounts Code, Volume II.
- (4) The Government Securities Manual, Third Edition. Chapter I (omitting paragraphs 10 and 11), Chapter II (omitting paragraphs 13 and 23), Chapters IV, V, VI, IX and X (omitting paragraph 123 and Appendix II) and the Andhra Pradesh Government Securities Rules, 1937.
- (5) The Constitution of India, 1950. Articles 148 to 151, 202 to 207, 264 to 293 and 308 to 314.
- (6) An Introduction to the Indian Government Accounts and Audit.
- (7) The Andhra Pradesh Pension Code.

4. It is considered that the above syllabus prescribed for the Accounts Test for Executive Officers is covered by the syllabus prescribed by the Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers Part I and II, but, the syllabus prescribed for the Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers Part I and II has not been totally covered by the syllabus of Accounts Test for Executive Officers. Therefore, pass in Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers for Part I and II can be considered as equivalent to the passing Accounts Test for the Executive Officers but a pass in Accounts Test for Executive Officers cannot be equated for a pass in Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers Part- I and Part-II..

5. Keeping in view of the above, Government hereby clarify that such of the Government Servants who have passed Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers Part-I and II, can be exempted from passing Accounts Test for Executive Officers, but the Government Servants who have passed in Accounts Test for Executive Officers cannot be exempted from a pass in Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers Part-I and Part-II, where such tests are prescribed in the rules.

6. All the Departments of Secretariat are requested to amend the provisions in the Special Rules with which they are concerned keeping in view the above clarification.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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